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1. Communists outside the Soviet Orbit gain entry to the Satellite countries and the USSR only by invitation. Free access to these countries is uncommon and, more often than not, the nature of business and standing in the Communist hierarchy determines whether a particular individual is permitted to enter the Communist Orbit.
2. The USSR is particularly sensitive to outside visitors and as a rule only high Party officials travel to the USSR. When travel to the Soviet Union or the Satellites is required the matter is generally cleared in advance through Communist Party organs which also make the travel arrangements.

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